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Who?

To The Editor — Reports of our little war, which has grown so big, in Viet Nam, overlook some significant factors.

For example, during the recent visit of Secretary McNamara, it was found that, the CIA chief in Saigon, John Richardson, had been masquerading as the Embassy first secretary and had been in charge of financing the special police forces of Ngo Dinh Nhu, brother of the president. Richardson was removed and warned that the quarter-million-a-month U.S. fund for Nhu's "SS" troops might be withdrawn if they continued to be used for repression of Buddhists and other civilian opponents.

At the same time the General Accounting Office warned that there had been no accounting of \$50,000,000.00 worth of Food-for-Peace sent Viet Nam.

However, Secretary McNamara and General Taylor brought back the cheery news that the boys would be out of the trenches by Christmas—1965.

Now, it would be interesting to know why John Richardson was overlooked, what free enterprisers got the food, how many millions profit it yielded, and who got the money.

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